



PATENT

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Yoshiki Kano

Application No.: 10/618,188

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For: OFFSITE MANAGEMENT USING  
DISK BASED TAPE LIBRARY AND  
VAULT SYSTEM

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 4295

Examiner: Eddie P. Chan

Technology Center/Art Unit: 2183

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date mailed: April 7, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 9, 2005, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.